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1. There was an L-shaped building on the corner of Sadovaya ulitsa and ulitsa Gorkogo near Ploshchad Mayakovskogo in Moscow that housed the MVD and MGB hotels. The MVD hotel was on the side of the building facing Sadovaya ulitsa, and the MGB on the other. Entry was free, but lodgings were permitted only to staff members of the MGB or MVD. [REDACTED]

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2. On the fifth and sixth floors of the MVD hotel was located an MVD office which had some connection with GULAG, Dalstroy, and also with construction organizations. When the Chief Guards Directorate was reduced in force (May 1952), many of its people were sent to this building to work as commanders of construction platoons or inspectors in the north.

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3. When the MVD and MGB were unified in 1953, the whole building became the MVD Hotel.

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